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BOARD OF ELECTIONS NAMES JEREMY KIRK ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

SPRINGFIELD (March 16, 2022) – The Illinois State Board of Elections has named Jeremy Kirk as its assistant executive director.

Kirk, who has been the agency's Director of Administrative Services since 2016, fills the assistant executive director vacancy created when Bernadette Matthews was named executive director in January.

The appointment was made in an 8-0 vote by the board at its February board meeting.

Kirk has a bachelor's degree in accounting from Millikin University and a Master of Business and Administration degree from the University of Illinois Springfield. He joined the Board of Elections in 2009 as procurement specialist and was the agency's accounting manager before his promotion to Director of Administrative Services.

The State Board of Elections is an independent state agency charged with the responsibility of having general supervision over the administration of election laws of the State of Illinois. Elections are administered locally by the State's 108 election authorities.

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